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Stephen,

The Environmental Protection Agency has reviewed the public notice and prospectus for the Calcasieu Mitigation Bank in Allen Parish, Louisiana. The site seems appropriate for use as compensation for unavoidable impacts to waters of the U.S., including wetlands. The EPA would like to conduct a site visit before providing additional comments and looks forward to working with the rest of the IRT and the sponsor in the establishment of this bank. Thank you for the opportunity to review and comment on the public notice and prospectus. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

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